# United States District Court

Middle District of Alabama

| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA   |  | JUDGMENT IN A CRIMINAL CASE                     |  |                                    |  |
|--|--|---|--|------------------------------------|--|
| V. WILLIAM TAYLOR COPELAND   |  | ) (wo)<br>) Case Number: 2:19ci                 | -52 MKM 01   |                                    |  |
| WILLIAM TAT  | LON COPELAND   | )   |  |                                    |  |
|  |  | ) USM Number: 1775(                             |  |                                    |  |
|  |  | Donnie Wayne Bether  Defendant's Attorney       | 91   |                                    |  |
| THE DEFENDANT:   |  | ,   |  |                                    |  |
| ✓ pleaded guilty to count(s)   | One of the Indictment on May 3   | 31, 2019  |  |                                    |  |
| pleaded nolo contendere to which was accepted by the                                   |  |   |  |                                    |  |
| was found guilty on count( after a plea of not guilty.                                 | s)   |   |  |                                    |  |
| The defendant is adjudicated   | guilty of these offenses:  |   |  |                                    |  |
| Title & Section  | Nature of Offense  |   | Offense Ended  | Count                              |  |
| 21§846   | Drug Conspiracy  |   | 6/2/2016   | 1                                  |  |
|  |  |   |  |                                    |  |
|  |  |   |  |                                    |  |
| The defendant is sente<br>the Sentencing Reform Act of                                 | nced as provided in pages 2 through 1984.  | 8 of this judgment.                             | The sentence is imposed p  | oursuant to                        |  |
| ☐ The defendant has been for   | and not guilty on count(s)   |   |  |                                    |  |
| Count(s)   | □ is □ are   | e dismissed on the motion of the                | United States.   |                                    |  |
| It is ordered that the or mailing address until all find the defendant must notify the | defendant must notify the United States<br>es, restitution, costs, and special assessn<br>court and United States attorney of ma |   | 0 days of any change of na<br>e fully paid. If ordered to p<br>mstances. | me, residence,<br>pay restitution, |  |
|  |  | 10/28/2019 Date of Imposition of Judgment       |  |                                    |  |
|  |  |   |  |                                    |  |
|  |  | /s/ Terry F. Moorer Signature of Judge          |  |                                    |  |
|  |  |   |  |                                    |  |
|  |  | TEDDY   |  |                                    |  |
|  |  | TERRY F. MOORER, United Name and Title of Judge | d States District Judge  |                                    |  |
|  |  |   |  |                                    |  |
|  |  | 10/30/2019<br>Date                              |  |                                    |  |
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| IMPRISONMENT  |  |
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| The defendant is hereby committed to the custody of the Federal Bureau of Prisons to be imprisoned for a total term of: |  |
| Twelve Months and One day (12 months and 1 day).  |  |
|   |  |
| ☑ The court makes the following recommendations to the Bureau of Prisons:   |  |
| The Court recommends that the defendant be designated to a facility where intensive drug treatment is available.        |  |
|   |  |
| ☐ The defendant is remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal.  |  |
| ☐ The defendant shall surrender to the United States Marshal for this district:   |  |
| □ at □ a.m. □ p.m. on   |  |
| as notified by the United States Marshal.   |  |
| The defendant shall surrender for service of sentence at the institution designated by the Bureau of Prisons:           |  |
| <b>v</b> before 2 p.m. on   |  |
| as notified by the United States Marshal.   |  |
| as notified by the Probation or Pretrial Services Office.   |  |
|   |  |
| RETURN  |  |
| I have executed this judgment as follows:   |  |
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|   |  |
|   |  |
| Defendant delivered on to   |  |
| at, with a certified copy of this judgment.   |  |
|   |  |
| UNITED STATES MARSHAL   |  |
| By  |  |
| DEPUTY UNITED STATES MARSHAL  |  |

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# SUPERVISED RELEASE

| Upon release from imprisonment, yo | u will be on supervised | release for a term of: |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|

3 Years.

# **MANDATORY CONDITIONS**

| 1. | You must not commit another federal, state or local crime.   |  |  |  |
|----|--|--|--|--|
| 2. | You must not unlawfully possess a controlled substance.  |  |  |  |
| 3. | You must refrain from any unlawful use of a controlled substance. You must submit to one drug test within 15 days of release from imprisonment and at least two periodic drug tests thereafter, as determined by the court.  |  |  |  |
|    | ☐ The above drug testing condition is suspended, based on the court's determination that you pose a low risk of future substance abuse. (check if applicable)  |  |  |  |
| 4. | You must make restitution in accordance with 18 U.S.C. §§ 3663 and 3663A or any other statute authorizing a sentence of restitution. (check if applicable)   |  |  |  |
| 5. | You must cooperate in the collection of DNA as directed by the probation officer. (check if applicable)  |  |  |  |
| 6. | You must comply with the requirements of the Sex Offender Registration and Notification Act (34 U.S.C. § 20901, <i>et seq.</i> ) a directed by the probation officer, the Bureau of Prisons, or any state sex offender registration agency in the location where yo reside, work, are a student, or were convicted of a qualifying offense. <i>(check if applicable)</i> |  |  |  |
| 7. | ☐ You must participate in an approved program for domestic violence. (check if applicable)   |  |  |  |

You must comply with the standard conditions that have been adopted by this court as well as with any other conditions on the attached page.

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#### STANDARD CONDITIONS OF SUPERVISION

As part of your supervised release, you must comply with the following standard conditions of supervision. These conditions are imposed because they establish the basic expectations for your behavior while on supervision and identify the minimum tools needed by probation officers to keep informed, report to the court about, and bring about improvements in your conduct and condition.

- 1. You must report to the probation office in the federal judicial district where you are authorized to reside within 72 hours of your release from imprisonment, unless the probation officer instructs you to report to a different probation office or within a different time frame.
- 2. After initially reporting to the probation office, you will receive instructions from the court or the probation officer about how and when you must report to the probation officer, and you must report to the probation officer as instructed.
- 3. You must not knowingly leave the federal judicial district where you are authorized to reside without first getting permission from the court or the probation officer.
- 4. You must answer truthfully the questions asked by your probation officer.
- 5. You must live at a place approved by the probation officer. If you plan to change where you live or anything about your living arrangements (such as the people you live with), you must notify the probation officer at least 10 days before the change. If notifying the probation officer in advance is not possible due to unanticipated circumstances, you must notify the probation officer within 72 hours of becoming aware of a change or expected change.
- 6. You must allow the probation officer to visit you at any time at your home or elsewhere, and you must permit the probation officer to take any items prohibited by the conditions of your supervision that he or she observes in plain view.
- 7. You must work full time (at least 30 hours per week) at a lawful type of employment, unless the probation officer excuses you from doing so. If you do not have full-time employment you must try to find full-time employment, unless the probation officer excuses you from doing so. If you plan to change where you work or anything about your work (such as your position or your job responsibilities), you must notify the probation officer at least 10 days before the change. If notifying the probation officer at least 10 days in advance is not possible due to unanticipated circumstances, you must notify the probation officer within 72 hours of becoming aware of a change or expected change.
- 8. You must not communicate or interact with someone you know is engaged in criminal activity. If you know someone has been convicted of a felony, you must not knowingly communicate or interact with that person without first getting the permission of the probation officer.
- 9. If you are arrested or questioned by a law enforcement officer, you must notify the probation officer within 72 hours.
- 10. You must not own, possess, or have access to a firearm, ammunition, destructive device, or dangerous weapon (i.e., anything that was designed, or was modified for, the specific purpose of causing bodily injury or death to another person such as nunchakus or tasers).
- 11. You must not act or make any agreement with a law enforcement agency to act as a confidential human source or informant without first getting the permission of the court.
- 12. If the probation officer determines that you pose a risk to another person (including an organization), the probation officer may require you to notify the person about the risk and you must comply with that instruction. The probation officer may contact the person and confirm that you have notified the person about the risk.
- 13. You must follow the instructions of the probation officer related to the conditions of supervision.

## **U.S. Probation Office Use Only**

| A U.S. probation officer has instructed the on the conditions specified |   |
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| judgment containing these conditions. For further information regarding | ng these conditions, see Overview of Probation and Supervised |
| Release Conditions, available at: www.uscourts.gov.                     |   |
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| Defendant's Signature   | Date  |

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#### SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF SUPERVISION

- 1) The defendant shall participate in the home confinement program for a period of 12 months to begin at a time designated by the probation officer. During this time, the defendant will remain at his place of residence except for employment and other activities approved in advance by the probation officer. At the direction of the probation officer, the defendant shall wear an electronic monitoring device and follow electronic procedures specified by the probation officer. The defendant shall pay the cost of electronic monitoring as directed by the probation officer.
- 2) The defendant shall participate in a program approved by the United States Probation Office for substance abuse as directed, which will include testing to determine whether the defendant has reverted to the use of drugs. The defendant shall contribute to the cost of any treatment based on ability to pay and the availability of third-party payments.
- 3) The defendant shall participate in a program of drug testing administered by the United States Probation Office as directed.
- 4) The defendant shall submit to a search of his person, residence, office and vehicle pursuant to the search policy of this court.

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#### CRIMINAL MONETARY PENALTIES

The defendant must pay the total criminal monetary penalties under the schedule of payments on Sheet 6.

| ΓO  | TALS   | * Assessment 100.00   | \$ JVTA A  | ssessment*                   | Fine<br>\$                           | Restitut<br>\$   | <u>tion</u>   |
|-----|--|---|--|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|
|     |  | nination of restituti<br>determination.                           | on is deferred until                               | ·                            | An Amended                           | Judgment in a Criminal                                     | Case (AO 245C) will be entered                                      |
|     | The defen  | dant must make res  | titution (including co                             | ommunity res                 | stitution) to the                    | following payees in the amo                                | ount listed below.  |
|     | If the defe<br>the priorit<br>before the   | ndant makes a parti<br>y order or percenta<br>United States is pa | al payment, each pay<br>ge payment column l<br>id. | vee shall rece<br>below. How | eive an approxin<br>ever, pursuant t | nately proportioned paymen<br>o 18 U.S.C. § 3664(i), all n | nt, unless specified otherwise in<br>onfederal victims must be paid |
| Nar | ne of Paye   | <u>e</u>  |  | <u>Total</u>                 | Loss**                               | Restitution Ordered  | Priority or Percentage  |
|     |  |   |  |                              |                                      |  |   |
|     |  |   |  |                              |                                      |  |   |
|     |  |   |  |                              |                                      |  |   |
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|     |  |   |  |                              |                                      |  |   |
|     |  |   |  |                              |                                      |  |   |
| ГО  | TALS   | \$  |  | 0.00                         | \$                                   | 0.00   |   |
|     | Restitutio   | on amount ordered p   | oursuant to plea agre                              | ement \$ _                   |                                      |  |   |
|     | The defendant must pay interest on restitution and a fine of more than \$2,500, unless the restitution or fine is paid in full before the fifteenth day after the date of the judgment, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3612(f). All of the payment options on Sheet 6 may be subject to penalties for delinquency and default, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3612(g). |   |  |                              |                                      |  |   |
|     | The cour   | t determined that th  | e defendant does not                               | have the ab                  | ility to pay inter                   | rest and it is ordered that:                               |   |
|     | ☐ the in   | nterest requirement   | is waived for the                                  | ☐ fine                       | restitution.                         |  |   |
|     | ☐ the is   | nterest requirement   | for the  fine                                      | □ resti                      | tution is modifie                    | ed as follows:   |   |

<sup>\*</sup> Justice for Victims of Trafficking Act of 2015, Pub. L. No. 114-22.

\*\* Findings for the total amount of losses are required under Chapters 109A, 110, 110A, and 113A of Title 18 for offenses committed on or after September 13, 1994, but before April 23, 1996.

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## **SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS**

| Hav                | ing a   | ssessed the defendant's ability to pay, payment of the total criminal monetary penalties is due as follows:   |  |  |  |
|--------------------|---|---|--|--|--|
| A                  | $\checkmark$  | Lump sum payment of \$ due immediately, balance due   |  |  |  |
|                    |   | □ not later than, or<br>□ in accordance with □ C, □ D, □ E, or □ F below; or  |  |  |  |
| В                  |   | Payment to begin immediately (may be combined with $\Box$ C, $\Box$ D, or $\Box$ F below); or   |  |  |  |
| С                  |   | Payment in equal (e.g., weekly, monthly, quarterly) installments of \$ over a period of (e.g., months or years), to commence (e.g., 30 or 60 days) after the date of this judgment; or  |  |  |  |
| D                  |   | Payment in equal (e.g., weekly, monthly, quarterly) installments of \$ over a period of (e.g., months or years), to commence (e.g., 30 or 60 days) after release from imprisonment to a term of supervision; or   |  |  |  |
| Е                  |   | Payment during the term of supervised release will commence within (e.g., 30 or 60 days) after release from imprisonment. The court will set the payment plan based on an assessment of the defendant's ability to pay at that time; or   |  |  |  |
| F                  | $\checkmark$  | Special instructions regarding the payment of criminal monetary penalties:  |  |  |  |
|                    |   | All criminal monetary payments are to be made to the Clerk, United States District Court, Middle District of Alabama, One Church St., Montgomery, Alabama 36104.  |  |  |  |
| Unl<br>the<br>Fina | ess th<br>perio<br>incial   | the court has expressly ordered otherwise, if this judgment imposes imprisonment, payment of criminal monetary penalties is due during d of imprisonment. All criminal monetary penalties, except those payments made through the Federal Bureau of Prisons' Inmate I Responsibility Program, are made to the clerk of the court. |  |  |  |
| The                | defe  | ndant shall receive credit for all payments previously made toward any criminal monetary penalties imposed.   |  |  |  |
|                    | Join  | nt and Several  |  |  |  |
|                    | Def<br>and  | fendant and Co-Defendant Names and Case Numbers (including defendant number), Total Amount, Joint and Several Amount, corresponding payee, if appropriate.  |  |  |  |
|                    | The   | e defendant shall pay the cost of prosecution.  |  |  |  |
|                    | The   | e defendant shall pay the following court cost(s):  |  |  |  |
| $\checkmark$       | The defendant shall forfeit the defendant's interest in the following property to the United States:  (a) Pill press, with a two-value capacitor motor, with identifying markers "YL 8024 and No. 390"; (b) Miscellaneous drug paraphernalia; (c) Keltec, CNC Industries, Inc., model PLR16, 5.56 mm pistol, bearing serial number PA413; |   |  |  |  |
| Pay                | ment  | s shall be applied in the following order: (1) assessment, (2) restitution principal, (3) restitution interest, (4) fine principal, (5) fine  |  |  |  |

interest, (6) community restitution, (7) JVTA assessment, (8) penalties, and (9) costs, including cost of prosecution and court costs.

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## ADDITIONAL FORFEITED PROPERTY

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- (d) Glock GMBH, model 22GEN4, .40 caliber pistol, bearing serial number XPC928;
- (e) HS Produkt (IM Metal), model XDS, .45 caliber pistol, bearing serial number S3216738;
- (f) Diamondback Arms, Inc., model DB-15, 5.56 mm rifle, bearing serial number DB1522799;
- (g) Keltec, CNC Industries, Inc., model SUB-2000, .40 caliber rifle, bearing serial number EYP12;
- (h) Miscellaneous ammunition to include: partial box of Winchester 22lr ammunition; 5 rounds of .45 caliber ammunition; 10 rounds of .40 caliber ammunition; 4 boxes of 5.56x45mm ammunition; 9mm ammunition; 1 box of Blazer .40 caliber ammunition;
- (i) Miscellaneous magazines to include: 2 Glock; 1 AR-15; 1 Keltec; 1 Springfield Armory (HS Produkt); 1 .40 caliber extended; 3 for a 5.56 x 45mm rifle;
- (j) iPhone cell phone, labeled with identification numbers: model number A1533; FCC ID: BCG-E2642A; IC: 579C-E2642B; IMEI: 01390002641493;
- (k) iPhone cell phone, labeled with identification numbers: model number A1549; FCC ID: BCG-E2816A; IC: 579C-E2816A; IMEI: 359296069627173;
- (I) iPhone cell phone, labeled with identification number: model number A1533; FCC ID: BCG-E2642A; IC: 579C-E2642B; IMEI: 352009065766615;
- (m) iPhone cell phone, labeled with identification numbers, model number A1549; FCC ID: BCG-E2816A; IC: 579C-E2816A; IMEI: 358370063072024; and,
- (n) Samsung cell phone, labeled with identification numbers: model number SM-B311V UD; FCC ID: A3LSMB311V; MEID HEX: A0000048FED746; SKU number SMB311VZPP